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(Weekly Review of National Affairs)
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BEVERIDGE REPORT

OTTAWA— Canada's "Beveridge" report will shortly be issued. It is already in the hands of the new committee on reconstruction. Dr. Cyril James principal of McGill University and chairman of an advisory committee on reconstruction, when announcing that the report on social security which is the product of many months of careful study will be available to the public this week, said there is a growing recognition in Canada that the challenge offered by problems of reconstruction is equal to that of wartime mobilization in 1940-41. The report reviews the various measures of social security already in existence in Canada, and shows in what fields laws are lacking. Of course there is nothing mandatory about the report. It is just a guide. There is, however, something definitely encouraging in the approach that is being made to the whole subject of reconstruction. In the first place very special attention is being given to looking after the demobilized soldiers, sea-

men and airmen after the war. Plans for this are well advanced. For the general problem of reconstruction, the idea is to be "prepared" as completely as possible.

Board of N. S. S. Revived—

There has been a reorganization of the National Selective Service advisory board, which will now be composed of representatives of labor and employers, veterans, farmers and government departments closely associated with manpower problems.

C. C. F. and S. C. P. Policies—

The discussion and criticism of the budget have brought again to the front the monetary and economic policies of the Social Credit and C. C. F. parties. In his suggested amendment to the budget Mr. Blackmore regretted that "the government still disregards the possible uses of government created national money" to make up the deficiency in amounts raised by taxation and borrowing. Mr. Coldwell, the C. C. F. leader regretted "the failure of the government to provide for the nationalization of the banking system so as to make possible the full utilization of the Bank of Canada for the financing

of the war." Mr. Coldwell stated his belief "that if we are to have a financial system that will be an instrument of the country in which we live, the financial institutions must be the property of the nation."

Finance—

As is natural in a democratic legislature a great many points of criticism are raised against the budget which embodies the government's policy to carry on government affairs in war time. Its main features are however, matters of fact. The total governmental costs during the coming year will be about \$5,500,000,000 of which taxation and borrowing will each produce one half. The taxation regulations are laid down in the budget. How is the \$2,750,000,000 to be raised by borrowing? If war savings certificates account for \$150,000,000, then we have still \$2,600,000 to raise by loans, probably two of them. Well the minister of finance got \$991,000,000 from his last loan. Another \$300,000,000 would have made the amount required for one of the coming loans if they are to be divided into loans of equal amount. Of course there is no means of telling what the authorities have in mind. The National War Finance Committee however have on their side the substantial growth in national income which has come about by the tremendous impetus of war production. There is also the curtailment of civilian spending. There is the control of goods and services which at least cuts down the facilities for spending open to the public. There is also the increasing sense of partnership between the government and the people.

WARBLE OR HEEL FLIES IN CATTLE

Warble flies affect production in cattle in three ways; 1, their terrifying effect on cattle as adults when egg laying; 2, as parasitic grubs in the body; and 3, by the damage done to hides.

The adult warble or heel flies lay eggs during the bright days of summer especially in July, on the legs and lower parts of the animal. Eggs are attached to the hair and hatch in a few days. The young larvae crawl along the hair, penetrate through the skin, and migrate through the body of the animal for two or three months and then ascend to their final position under the skin especially along the backs of cattle where they bore small breathing holes in the skin. They can be felt in the form of lumps, small at first, but which grow and develop for about two months and eventually the grubs emerge, fall to the ground and in a few weeks are transformed to adult flies which start the cycle all over.

To control this pest, the grubs must be destroyed when they form lumps on the back of cattle. They may be squeezed out and then destroyed, or commercial drugs such as derris wash may be used with perhaps better results.

At the Kapuskasing Dominion Experimental Station, states U. Pilon, no sign of warble flies was ever noticed on cattle before 1929 but some have been found every year since 1932. In this district, warble grubs start to show on the backs of cattle from the latter part of March till spring. Cattle at this station are treated with derris powder four times a year, the first treatment being made around April 1st and the others at monthly intervals.

To clean a district of this pest, all cattle owners must co-operate in treating their herds, otherwise the untreated ones will re-infest the treated ones. The treatment costs about 4c per head, and in doing so, breeders will have healthier herds, better production and will help the war effort.

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The following figures may prove useful to farmers and may be worthwhile cutting out for future reference.

5 1/2 yards ----- 1 rod.
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1 acre— 160 square rods, which is a strip one rod wide for the full length of 1/2 mile, or 1/2 rod wide for a mile length.

1 acre— 4,840 square yards, or 43, 560 square feet.

Pounds per measured bushel of common grains and grasses:

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Alfalfa, 60 lbs. Alsike Clover, 60 lbs. Sweet Clover, 60 lbs. White Dutch Clover, 60 lbs.

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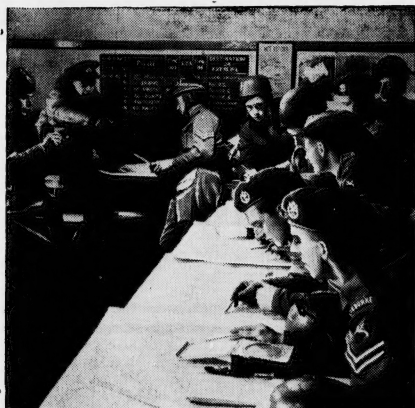
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Sixteen creamery workers completed a four week short course at the University of Alberta in final examinations conducted by the department of dairying.

"There can be no compromise between free men and dictators."

BRITAINS AIRBORNE ARMY PICKED SOLDIERS TRAIN AS GLIDER PILOTS

Glider pilots for Britain's airborne regiments are drawn from the Army. As trained soldiers, they will be able to take their passengers into action immediately upon landing. Volunteers must pass a stiff medical examination equalling that of R. A. F. pilots they must in addition to being fully trained soldiers show high qualities of leadership and initiative. After initial

training in navigation, theory, etc. at an Initial Training Wing, and a period of solo flying in powered aircraft, pupils are transferred to gliders, graduating from ballast loads to live loads. Picture shows glider pupils in the briefing room of a training station receive a cross-country route and a weather report.

**THE WEEK IN
EDMONTON**

By DAN. E. C. CAMPBELL
Director of Publicity

Members of the legislature learned this week of the efforts made by the government, through the department of trade and industry, to persuade Ottawa that a greater use of western manpower in western industry would not only assist the war effort by utilizing every piece of available machine plant, but would stop the drain on western manpower now being experienced, and fit the country better for

post war rehabilitation.

Outlining steps taken to present this message to Ottawa, Hon. E. C. Manning, minister of trade and industry, declared that the present policy is tending to centralize industry in Eastern Canada.

"This fact has an important bearing on the industrial future of the west, and also manpower problem," declared the minister.

Alberta's coal production in 1942 was the highest in Canada, and the highest tons were produced with a value of \$22,562,325. Sales to Alberta consumers amounted to 1,474,795 tons compared with 1,335,606 tons the previous year. Shipments were made to Sask-

atchewan, Manitoba, British Columbia, Ontario and the United States.

SWINE SURVEY— The number of hogs on Alberta farms reached an all time record on December 1st, 1942. According to the December 1st survey conducted by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, there was a total of 2,269, 700 hogs on farms on that date as compared to 1,836, 700 head a year ago. This is an increase of about 24 per cent.

Dear Old Lady— And what rank do you hold my man?

Bored Sailor— Ship's optician. I scrape the eyes out of the potatoes.

**WARNING****CANADA FACES A WOOD-FUEL FAMINE
NEXT WINTER**

ARE YOU one of the Canadian householders who burned fences, doors, and even flooring to keep warm in this winter's sub-zero weather? Or perhaps you are one of the lucky ones who just managed to scrape through?

In either case, you will want to be prepared for next winter when greater hardships loom unless you take immediate action.

The shortage already has affected many communities . . . total stocks of dry wood are nearly exhausted . . . in some places the small supply of green wood cut for next winter is being used now to meet the present emergency.

Throughout most of Canada, fuel-wood is obtained not far from where it is consumed. Its production and distribution are the business of local citizens.

The Dominion Government recognizes that the wood-fuel shortage is so serious that even with the full co-operation of everyone in affected communities an adequate supply is not assured. Accordingly, it has been decided to stimulate the output of wood-fuel by assisting those normally engaged in its production and distribution. To this end, the following measures will be adopted:

- 1 A subsidy of \$1.00 per cord will be paid to dealers on all commercial fuel-wood contracted for and cut on or before June 30, 1943, and held to dealers' account on that date.
- 2 The Coal Controller has been authorized to arrange in his discretion for the payment of such portion of the transportation costs as he considers proper in respect of fuel-wood, particularly in cases where dealers, to procure supplies, find it necessary to contract for fuel-wood at locations outside the area from which they normally derive their supplies. In order to obtain any such reimbursement, dealers must obtain a permit from the Coal Controller before contracting for such supplies.
- 3 The Coal Controller will repurchase from dealers at dealer's cost all commercial grades of fuel-wood on which a subsidy of \$1 per cord has been paid and which are still in dealers' hands as at May 31, 1944.
- 4 Assistance will be given in providing priorities for necessary equipment.
- 5 Farmers now on the farm, and who leave the farm temporarily in response to this appeal to engage in fuel-wood cutting, will be deemed by National Selective Service to be carrying out their regular occupation as farmers and will be given all the rights of deferment of military service which such an occupation now carries. Such temporary absence should not, however, interfere with agricultural production.

Municipal councils, farmers, fuel dealers, individual citizens, service clubs, and all other groups in communities where wood-fuel is burned, are urged to begin at once a rapid survey of their local situation, and to take immediate action to relieve the shortage.

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THE RED CROSS CAMPAIGN

YOU know the work the Red Cross does.

You know the relief it brings to wounded, hungry or lonely men.

You know the need will be greater this year.

You know it takes money to finance these necessities?

Then you know your part is to give generously to carry on this work.

HOPE SPRINGS ETERNAL

"YES hope springs eternal in the human breast," and is it not well that it does?"

Else we would frequently have a long-faced, heavy hearted, community of people who would scatter anything but sunshine in their path. But no—Hope does reign—and so despite this snow covered landscape and below zero temperature seed and flower catalogues are being read and plans are being made for that Victory Garden and some flowers too—because a thing of beauty is a joy forever.

To this end Strathmore folk are already making plans to clean up and spruce up our Town in addition to the Victory Garden of vitamins vegetables. Join the onward march and help make Strathmore's well kept streets a feature of which to be proud.

Listen My Townsmen and you shall hear more.

NEW TRENDS IN LEGISLATION

THE Health Bill introduced in the Federal Government Tuesday and

the Social Security Plan advanced by Dr. Cyril James, Principal of McGill University and Dr. L. C. Marsh who prepared a report on post war reconstruction and social security indicate forward thinking in the economic world.

The Everidge Plan, the Ruml Plan, and now the Dr. Marsh program are proof that humanity is looking for a more equitable economic system than prevails at present.

While no perfect plan may yet have been found, it is hopeful sign that out of the various suggestions will evolve a system that will bring a more just distribution and fair opportunity for all, which will give freedom from want and freedom from oppression.

STANDARD

Cpl. and Mrs. Harold Anderson left last week for De Rio, Texas, going via Eugene, Oregon, and Los Angeles.

Mr. Anthon Rasmussen is a patient in a Calgary hospital. Mr. I. E. McLean from Calgary is acting as relief agent at the Atlas Lumber Co. during his absence.

Mr. Harry Malcolm, who has been principal of the Standard school for the past five years has enlisted in the R. C. A. F. as an instructor of mathematics. He has received his commission as P. O. and leaves very soon for Lachine Quebec to take his basic training. Mrs. Malcolm and Richard will remain in Standard for the present.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Southall entertained at a small bridge party last Monday evening.

Petty Officer Eli Westergard and Mrs. Westergard are home for a visit during Eli's annual furlough. Petty Officer Westergard will return to his

LINE ELEVATORS SUPPLY MILITARY CAMPS WITH BOOKS

During the depression years, the North-West Line Elevators Association established 357 circulating libraries at line elevators located throughout the drought-stricken areas of the prairie provinces. More than 22,000 volumes dealing with fiction, history, economics and related subjects were contained in the libraries. These books were available without charge to all farmers on the libraries were changed from time to time.

It is felt that these libraries have now served their purpose, and at a recent meeting of the directors of the Line Elevators Association it was decided to turn all these libraries over to the Canadian Legion War Services for use by the armed forces in military camps. Line country elevator agents have been advised to forward the local libraries to various centres in this manner Canada's armed forces will be provided with many excellent books which have been enjoyed by the farming population of Western Canada in recent years.

Naval duties in the east at the end of the month.

The Standard C. G. I. T. had a party at the home of their leader, Mrs. A. V. Southall on Tuesday evening.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Norman Bragg on Friday, March 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Anderson were at home to their many friends on Tuesday March 9th, on the occasion of their silver wedding anniversary.

The local post office is undergoing some renovation and alterations and will be much more convenient and spacious, when completed.

The local committee for the Red Cross Membership drive, report that thanks to the many friends and loyal supporters of the Red Cross they have exceeded their quota for the Standard district.

The Annual Meeting of the Standard Mutual Telephone Co. was held in the K. P. Hall on Wednesday, March 17th.

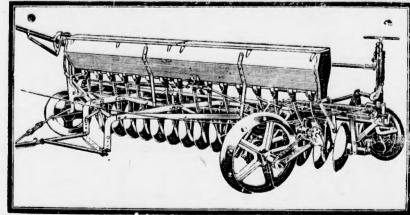
CANADIANS CHASED ROMMEL



These two Canadian airmen were among the fighting fliers of the United Nations who helped light the fuse that exploded Hitler's pipe-dream. They were part of a bomber crew which flew with the air forces, keeping Rommel's Afrika Korps in frantic retreat.

Advance Canadian personnel have arrived in North Africa for special training. The National Film Board's latest film in the CANADA CARRIES ON series, "PINCERS ON AXIS EUROPE" gives a full report of the North Africa operation, from the landing of the vast

United Nations force to the race across the desert after Rommel's fleeing army. Importance of the move to the United Nations offensive, in its relationship to the struggle on the Russian front is dramatically presented.



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China's First Lady Uses An Old English Word

Madame Chiang Kai-shek, who is at present visiting the North American Continent, surprised Washington reporters by using the word "obtund." But it is a perfectly good word, meaning to blunt, deaden, or render obtuse.

though not in general use. The Oxford dictionary says it is now chiefly in medical use.

Mr. Crawford— Will you have anything on your face when I've finished shaving you?

John Spirros— I doubt it.

CARSELAND

By H. K.

Mrs. Norman Nielson of the Fairplay School, has been sick for a week in the hospital, undergoing a minor operation.

P. O. Bill Cole and Mrs. Cole of High River have been visiting their parents Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cole for the past week.

The Ladies Aid Supper scheduled for March 16 had to be postponed on account of cold weather.

Miss Helen Kennaugh spent the week-end visitin Mr. and Mrs. Red McDougall of Cheadle.

Many Carseland folks enjoyed the pancake supper and hardtime dance at Cheadle on Friday. The music was supplied by Ruby Field, I. E. Stinson, Jerry Van der Velde and Bill Lausen, and was enjoyed by all.

Arthur Bergquist R. C. A. F. of Calgary spent the week-end at home.

NAMAKA

By M. W.

Rev. A. A. Toews arrived home last Thursday evening from a six weeks trip to Manitoba in connection with the Mennonite Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Peterson are rejoicing over the birth of a son on Thursday, March 11th. In Grace Hospital, Calgary. Both are doing well.

Mrs. L. R. Aitkens spent a few days last week in Calgary with Ruth.

Bill Watson of Sheerness is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. V. Watson.

Mrs. Jake Theissen and little son arrived home Saturday evening from a six weeks visit with friends in Winnipeg.

The March meeting of the Ladies Aid was held at Mrs. Jim McBean's home with 14 ladies present. The April meeting will be at Mrs. Bell's home on the 8th.

Mr. Nickels has enlarged his house

by having two rooms built on, Mr. H. A. Miller being the carpenter.

The Red Cross will meet at Mrs. C. Mackie's home on Thursday 25th.

Word has been received from Norman Ellis written Feb. 10th that he was still in England. They were ready for some point in the Far East when an accident occurred on Christmas Eve which delayed them. Fortunately he was not seriously hurt and expected to be back on active service soon.

Miss Ida Thompson of Calgary spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Ike Pawkes of Calgary came down from Calgary for a weekend visit with her Mother, Mrs. Watts.

Ernest E. Culley who formerly was a school teacher at Namaka has been promoted to the rank of Captain. He is associated with 41st. (Res) Brigade M. D. 13.

What did one little duck say to the other little duck?
Sometimes I get so blue I feel like scuttling myself.

MID-MONTH Specials

QUAKER OATS—	Packets 20c
QUAKER CORN FLAKES—	2 for 25c
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MAPLE LEAF FLOUR—	98 lb. sack \$2.88
ROBIN HOOD FLOUR—	98 lb. sack \$2.85
RICE KRISPIES—	2 for 27c
OTTOMAN CIGARETTE TOBACCO—	Tin 49c
KELLOGG'S BRAN FLAKES—	2 for 24c
WHEAT GERM—	Per Packet 19c
KRAFT DINNER—	Per Packet 19c

LETTUCE, TOMATOES, CELERY AND NEW
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PHONES

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DALEMEAD

D. V. V.

The Alberta Pool held a meeting in the Dalemead Hall last Tuesday evening. Our local delegate Mr. Morrison gave a splendid address on the pool activities of the past few years. An entirely new program of motion pictures were presented by Mr. McKenzie. Mr. G. Court, Director of Confederation of Agriculture gave also a very interesting talk and was followed by the Co-operative buying of Livestock, director and Executive, Mr. Campbell of Edmonton giving pointers why the farmers should let the Co-op handle their business. Everyone enjoyed the meeting very much and there was a large attendance.

Pte. Gordon Paterson spent the week-end visiting and celebrating his birthday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Paterson.

The ladies of the Dalemead and Indus U. F. W. A. were busy last week packing parcels for our boys overseas.

Mr. Lloyd Lea will be reporting to Calgary for duty in the Air Force on April 11th. or 12th.

Mrs. Alan Cleveland has left for a holiday at the coast with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph.

Mrs. Clark and son Carson have left to take up residence in Calgary. Mrs. Clark was called on account of her brother-in-law's serious illness.

Pte Howard Vanalstine is visiting for the week-end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. R. Vanalstine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Winkler spent Sunday with her sister and family at Standard.

What are you doing with your socks on wrong side out?
My feet got so hot I decided to turn the hose on them.

ROCKYFORD

By K. M. G.

The United Church Ladies Aid held their regular meeting at the church parlors on Thursday, March 11th. with the first Vice President, Mrs. Ellison in the chair. Reports of the Main Street Dinner were read and showed a nice balance. It was arranged to send out the sunshine bags for lent as usual. Mrs. L. W. Roppel and Mrs. Roberts served a very suitable war time lunch to about 20 ladies at the close of business.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Coels were week-end visitors with Mrs. J. W. Gibson and the Stone family at the hotel. Mr. Coels is at present with the R. C. A. F. at Vancouver and Mrs. Coels (Alice Carpenter) has been visiting her parents in Calgary.

Pte. Carl Geereart is at present home on leave.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Hopps is again out of the hospital after his recent operation. He will be back in Rockyford shortly.

Mrs. Hugo Hendricks is at present in a Calgary hospital recovering from a recent operation.

Mr. L. M. Wise is back at Rockyford again after about ten years absence. He is present in the A. P. Elevator taking up that work.

Miss K. Harriman is again back at her post as teacher of the public school after her two weeks illness. Mrs. Helen Wise substituted during her absence.

Mr. Otis Allen has visited with his parents here for a few days while buying some used trucks which he intends taking to Dawson Creek for trucking purposes. On of those disposing of his truck was Charlie Hall, and now he has left the district and is making a trip back to his old home in the state of Maine, where business in connection with an estate calls him.

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● NOTICE ●

Dog taxes are now due and should
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 penalties.

By Order TOWN COUNCIL. M18

**Church Notes**

ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS'
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 Rev. Edward J. I. Hoad, B.A., L.Th.
 Rector.

Sunday, March 21st.—Lent II
 11.00 a.m.—Sunday School.
 7.30 p.m.—Evensong.
 Wednesday—
 7 p.m.—Junior Choir Practice.
 8 p.m.—Lenten Service and Inter-
 cessions. Topic—"Restitution."
 Thursday—
 8.30 a.m.—Holy Communion
 "Don't let the fact that you can't do
 all you want to do, keep you from do-
 ing all you can do."

UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
 Strathmore—Alberta
 Rev. S. R. Hunt, B.A., B.D.,
 Minister.

"I Acknowledge"
 "I acknowledge the law of God which
 is written in the majesty of suns
 and stars;
 I acknowledge the truth of God with-
 in which alone we can be free;
 I acknowledge the love of God by
 which alone we are redeemed;
 I acknowledge the fellowship of all
 saints
 Who learned of Christ and lived for
 him,
 Who carried in their hearts the
 flame of consecration and courage;
 Who dared and endured and triumph-
 ed even in defeat.
 Sunday, March 21st—
 11.00 a.m.—Sunday School and
 Morning Congregation.
 11.30 a.m.—Namaka Service.
 7.30 p.m.—Evening Worship.
 Tuesday Evening, March 23rd.
 6.30 p.m.—Annual Church School
 Supper, with address by Rev. C. A.
 Lawson of Central United Church,
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The United Church School are ren-
 dering a real community service to
 citizens of Strathmore in bringing
 Rev. C. A. Lawson of Central Church
 to give the address following the An-
 nual Supper on Tuesday evening,
 March 23rd. The general public are
 cordially invited. Mr. Lawson has a
 wide hearing over the radio Sunday
 mornings and capacity congregations
 Sunday evenings. It will be to the cre-
 dit of Strathmore to give him a large
 hearing and thus encourage him in
 his ministry in Southern Alberta.

UNITED CHURCH, CARSELAND
 Rev. Walter E. Sieber, Minister

10.30 a.m.—Dalemead.
 12.00 noon—Carseland.
 3.30 p.m.—Mossleigh.

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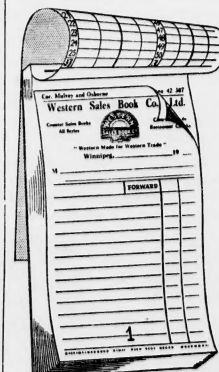
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NOTICE— is hereby given that all
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 of the above named Walter Wells Ver-
 non who died on the 15th day of June
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 undersigned Solicitor for the Adminis-
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 of his Estate in the Province of Al-
 berta by Friday the 7th day of May A.
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 of their claims and of any securities
 held by them, and that after that date
 the said Administrator will distribute
 the assets of the deceased among the
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 only to the claims of which notice has
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 —DATED this 12th day of March A.D.
 1943.

J. D. WHETHAM
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NIGHTINGALE

By M. H.

Miss Doris Putman and Miss Mary Trollope left on Monday to begin their training. They have enlisted with the R. C. A. F.

Mrs. Henry Hilton entertained the Women's Institute at her home last Friday. The roll call was a St. Patrick's verse or Irish story and the results provided considerable fun. Mrs. Hilton read an account of the origin of St. Patrick's Day and Mrs. D. Dugan gave a very interesting paper on child welfare. Plans were made for the new quilt for the handicraft exhibition. Mrs. Pat Brown was elected delegate to attend the conference in Calgary March 18th. and 19th. Mrs. George Thurston as constituency canvasser will also attend. Red Cross work was collected and new materials distrib-

ed. Mrs. Joel and Miss Osborne assisted the hostess in serving a delicious tea at the close of a pleasant social hour.

Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Farr have both been ill with flu.

L. A. C. Weldon Harriman arrived Friday to spend a week at home. He has been in Sackville N. B. for the past five months. He will be stationed at Toronto for further training.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoodley and Tom were Calgary visitors last week. Myrtle left for Rockcliffe, Ontario last Thursday for further training with the R. C. A. F.

The married men's dance at the hall last Friday was well patronized and a good time was had by all. The Valley Garden orchestra furnished the music.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Bragg and

children of Standard were Sunday visitors at the Harriman home.

CHEADLE

by B. W.

We are glad to hear that Mr. Edwards is out of the hospital.

A very enjoyable Pancake Supper and Hardtime Dance was held in the Chedale Hall Friday evening. There was a large crowd and many good hard time costumes. Roy Downey and Mrs. Lyons were the winners. The Social Committee were Mr. and Mrs. Ches Barber, Mr. and Mrs. Drake and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Welshimer.

A surprise party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Ewe was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McDougall on behalf of the Community. Mr. Roy Miner presented Mr. and Mrs. Ewe with an easy chair. They are leaving the district soon and will live near the Blackfoot school. We are sorry to lose these good friends, but wish them good luck and lots of happiness in their new home.

Two families are moving back to farms in the Chedale district. They are Mr. and Mrs. Doug Keer and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Miner.

ARDENODE

— By M. M. A. —

Mr. and Mrs. Seeley entertained last Wednesday evening, the guests being Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Smith of Strathmore, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jensen and Pete and Mr. P. E. Sarsons and Miss Elaine Sarsons. The occasion was the Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Seeley's forty first wedding day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ascel Rasmussen have left our district and will spend a few days at Stradbrook before leaving for Dawson Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Anderson and family have taken up residence in their new home, known as the Christensen farm.

Lieut. V. J. R. Hughes returned to Brandon, Wednesday. Mrs. Hughes is staying at her parental home here for a while longer.

Mr. Howard Andrews spent a few days in Calgary last week, taking some treatments for a lame back.

The local bridge club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Olson on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ancell were Calgary visitors last Saturday.

CLOSING STORE FOR DURATION

Matthews Music House Ltd., 507 8th. Ave. W., in business in Calgary for 30 years is being closed for the duration.

Mr. Matthews will continue to reside at Calgary, but will concentrate his effort on his well known Bragg Creek ranch, "raising food for Britain," he said. At the ranch he raises purebred stock and grain.

The manager pointed out that owing to the war, supplies such as pianos, radios, electrical appliances and musical instruments were not being manufactured. The United States had turned out its last piano for the duration, and Canadian firms are making only a few.

Mr. Matthews has two sons in the armed forces. Sub-Lieut. P. H. Matthews, at R. C. N. V. R. headquarters, Ottawa, and Capt. D. C. Matthews, overseas with the Calgary Tanks.



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ST. PATRICK

— By Rev. Walter E. Sieber —

On the tide-washed shores of the Firth of Clyde in Scotland lies the village of Old Kilpatrick. Here, more than 15 centuries ago was born one of the greatest benefactors of the human race — St. Patrick.

To the Visitor, or casual wayfarer at Old Kilpatrick the chief attraction might be the remarkable beauty of the surrounding landscape. The hearty Fortress of "Dumbarton Castle," and "cloud cap" Ben Lomond rise in majestic grandeur to the West and cast their spell of beauty upon the mind of the visitor.

Here, too, lies Loch Lomond, the "Queen of Scottish Lakes," celebrated in legend and song, to cast its spell upon the visitor to the birthplace of the Patron Saint of Old Ireland.

The period of our Saint's birth was also the closing period of the Romans in Great Britain. On the final departure of the Roman legions in 409 A. D., the Scottish tribes who inhabited the Roman province of Valentia declared themselves independent. This ancient kingdom was then known as Strathclyde, and its metropolis was Alcey. Later the name of Dun-Briton (Fortress of Briton) was applied to it. By easy transition the name of its capital was converted from Dun-Briton into Dunbarton.

Among the Roman legions at this time were many who were Christians and their missionary spirit, which is ever present in Christianity, was at

work to communicate the great principles and teachings of the Christian Faith to the conquered people. Here we find St. Ninian, a native of Strathclyde, who was educated at Rome and is given the credit of being the first missionary to his native land at the close of the fourth century. It was in this type of Scotland that St. Patrick was born in the year 387 A. D. at Bonnaven, Kilpatrick, on the estuary of the Clyde near Dumbarton, Scotland. His British name was Coccat, but his Roman appellation was Patricius.

The village of Old Kilpatrick still retains many memorials of this remarkable man. Up until the middle ages pilgrimages to the birthplace of this notable Scotch-Irishman were common and frequent. Near the village on a wooded knoll is a spring-well, known as St. Patrick's well, "where water, clear as diamond spark, into a stone basin falls."

St. Patrick's parents were of noble birth and belonged to the Christian Faith. His father's name was Calpornius. He filled his own farm which was located on the east-side of the present Duntocher Road. He was a Briton, the son of a Presbyter and a member of the Municipal Council.

His mother was Conchessa, a sister of Martin, Archbishop of Tours, and young Patrick was brought up in a home with a strong Christian atmosphere, though at first he was indifferent to his parent's counsel on spiritual things.

— Continued next week.



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Local News Items

William Lloyd Lea, of Carlsbad has enlisted as Aero Mechanic, at Calgary.

Miss Ellen County younger daughter of Mrs. County, of Baintree, has e d in the Wrens Calgary, and is commencing her training very soon.

Mrs. George Thurston, of Nightingale, is attending the W. I. District Convention being held in Calgary on Thursday and Friday this week.

Chuck MacLean who has been on furlough from Nanaimo has been transferred to Camp Shilo for which point he will leave Calgary Thursday evening.

Miss Violet Hyde has received word that her pupil, Violet Lutz, has passed the Toronto Conservatory examination in Theory with first class honors. Congratulations.

Mr. McMurray and Mr. Anson Chase spent several days in Swift Current last week.

Enthroned May 11
Archbishop-elect of Rupert's Land, Rt. Rev. L. Ralph Sherman, will be enthroned May 11, in Winnipeg. On Sunday, May 2, Bishop Sherman will conduct his final service, as Bishop of Calgary.

Mrs. John Freeman left Saturday last for a holiday at Vancouver and Victoria.

Mr. Thompson, newly appointed Secretary Treasurer of the M. D. of Strathmore, will bring his family to Strathmore in the near future and they will make their home here.

The next meeting of the Home and School Association will be held on Monday, March 22 in the High School. The program will consist of a discussion on Religious Teaching in School, led by Mrs. George Thurston, of Nightingale and Dr. J. Giffen. Musical numbers by about fifteen pupils of the High School will also be given. Time 8:15. Monday 22nd.

Miss Lydia McLean has returned from a very enjoyable holiday of three weeks.

Miss Jean Bucks spent the weekend in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Whiteside returned home last Friday after a visit at Vancouver and Canmore.

Mrs. William Ridson, who was taken to a Calgary Hospital for internal treatment was able to return to her home early last week. We hope for a complete recovery.

Vaughne McNeill is still far from recovered after his recent operation.

DEATH OF MRS. I. M. McCUNE

The wife of a former M. L. A., Mrs. Leona Oleta McCune, 55, of Iricana died in a Calgary hospital, Saturday, after a brief illness.

Born in Davis, California, she came to Iricana 30 years ago. Mrs. McCune was a member and worker of the Church of Brethren.

Surviving are her husband, Rev. Isaac McVillie McCune, former M. L. A.; three daughters, Mrs. Harvone Gilberg, and Mrs. Oleta Brandt, both of Iricana; Mrs. Ada Root, of Laton, Calif.; two sons, Angus, Iricana, and Glen, of San Francisco; two sisters, Mrs. Tyron Johnson, Everett, Wash.; Mrs. Esther Crawford Iricana; one brother M. W. Long, Iricana.

Rev Harold Michael conducted services at 2:30 p.m., Tuesday in the Park Memorial Chapel.

Reserve Tuesday, March 23 to hear Rev. Dr. Lawson of Central Church in Calgary. He will give an after dinner address in the United Church Basement.

The Tea held under the auspices of St. Michael's W. A. last Saturday was most enjoyable and quite gratifying financially, despite the inclement weather, about \$35 being added to the Treasury. Convening the Tea arrangements were Mrs. Downey, Mrs. Shuman, Mrs. Percy Wright and Mrs. Freeman. Table waitresses were Phyllis and Edna Hartell, Gwen Tew, and Ellen Bennett. Mrs. Ridley, Mrs. Hartell and Mrs. May were in charge of Home Cooking.

Baby Giffen is still in hospital in Calgary, not making as rapid recovery as one could wish. However we hope for a turn for the better soon.

Mrs. Voermans continues in a weak condition.

Mrs. John Taylor, town, is still in the Hospital in Calgary, but is making as good recovery as possible.

Mrs. Joe Robison had the misfortune to fall down stairs Saturday. Fortunately there were no bones broken, Mrs. Robison getting off with several bruises and sore spots.

Read carefully the article on warble flies in this issue. Treatment will well repay for the labor.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Syd Karn (nee Ruby Gray) in Calgary, Thursday, March 11 a baby girl.

New postal rates effective April 1st.

Lieut. J. V. R. Hughes visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harvey on Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Ian MacKenzie took her son Kenny to the Calgary Clinic Tuesday for treatment, Kenny having had several nasal hemorrhages lately. We hope for complete cure soon.

The Sup-Sooten Auction Sale Wed. March 24th. See advertisement.

Rev. Hunt has been a victim of the prevailing cold during the week.

Lieut. Ian MacKenzie was a welcome visitor in town Wednesday from Sudbury, having a 48 hour leave.

Strathmore friends will be interested in hearing that Cpl. Graham Tench is now in Glasgow taking a five months electrical course at the Glasgow electricians College. Graham is finding Glasgow and the course both intensely interesting.

The final of the Sorosis Series of bridge parties was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. T. S. Hughes. Winners for the series were—high Mrs. Art Polley; low, Mrs. Hansen; lucky draw, Mrs. Van Tigheem. A linen centre piece which had been donated by Mrs. Bugar was drawn for with Mrs. Nichol drawing the lucky ticket. All enjoyed a happy afternoon.

Prob. Sub. Lieut. Andrew Garrett is leaving Calgary Sunday night for Halifax where he will continue his training in the R. C. N. V. R.

Gen. George Freeman who has been home on two weeks furlough leaves on Saturday for Petawawa, Ont.

We are sorry to hear Ruthie Oldham is a victim of the measles.

Cpl. Irene Friebrand of the C.W. A. C who has been ill in Military Hospital Calgary with a severe case of flu is coming home this week for a rest.

Mrs. McGregor has returned from a week's visit with Calgary friends.

Waiter—How did you find your steak, sir?

Diner—It was just luck. I happened to move that piece of potato, and there it was.

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DEATH OF MRS. TIMOTHY LONGBOOTHAM

A nurse in the early days of the province, Annie Boyd Longbootham, 63, died at her home in Baintree, Tuesday morning, after a brief illness.

Born in Kilmarnock, Scotland, she came to the United States 36 years ago and to Baintree, 33 years ago. She was a member of the United Church, and active in community affairs.

Surviving are her husband, Timothy, one daughter, Mrs. May Hunt, Calgary two sons, Samuel, Calgary, and David, Baintree; five brothers, John Boyd, Lincoln, England, William and Andrew Boyd, both of Scotland, James Boyd, of Australia; one sister, Mrs. Jack MacClenahan, of Hussar, Alberta, and six grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted in Calgary Thursday afternoon by McInnis and Holloway.

The Standard extends very sincere sympathy.

RUSSIA RECOVERS LOST WHEAT REGION

Recovery by the Red army of the rich wheat lands of North Caucasus and eastern Ukraine is a highlight of developments in the world wheat situation the past month. If these gains can be held through the summer of 1943 the results may be threefold. Firstly, the Nazis will be robbed of the harvest on which they have doubtless counted and which they so badly need; secondly, the Soviet Union will be closer to a state of self-sufficiency in wheat supplies; and thirdly, some of the shipping space that might have been used to carry wheat and flour to Russia will be available for the transport of other materials of war.

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Plant Manager.

NOTICE OF AGRICULTURAL MEETINGS

Farmers are invited to attend the most convenient of the following meetings.

Nightingale Hall, Monday, March 22 at 2:30 p.m.

Airdrie, McCracken Hall, Tuesday, March 23rd, at 2:30 p.m.

Standard, K. P. Hall, Tuesday, March 23rd, at 8:30 p.m.

Arrowwood, U. F. A. Hall, Wednesday, March 24th, at 2:30 p.m.

Namaka, Town School, Wednesday,

March 24th, at 8:30 p.m.

Swine and cattle feeding will be the main topics discussed. Disease prevention in swine will be dealt with in particular.

At the Namaka meeting the final organization of the Out Club will be undertaken, and orders for new seed received for 1943. New members are invited to join.

Suitable moving pictures will be shown. Everyone welcome.

Yours very truly,
B. J. Whitbread,
District Agriculturist.

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LEMONS—		CHEESE—	
1 Dozen -----	.47	Good Flavor, 1 lb. -----	.35
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1 lb. -----	.15	2 lbs. -----	.35
PRUNES—		FLOUR—	
Large Size, 2 lbs. -----	.25	Five Roses, -----	
PORK & BEANS—		98 lbs. -----	3.00
20 oz. Tin, 2 for -----	.25	CANNED FRUIT—	
COFFEE—		PLUMS—	
Natch, 1 lb. pkg. -----	.48	2 tins -----	.25
Victory, 1 lb. pkg. -----	.39	PEACHES—	
SALT—		16 oz. Each -----	.19
100 lbs. Plain -----	1.55	PEARS—	
Salt Blocks, Plain, iodized -----		16 oz. Each -----	.19
EGGO MASH—		APRICOTS—	
100 lbs. -----	2.90	20 oz. Tin -----	.23
SUR-GAIN PIG STARTER—		SPAGHETTI—	
100 lbs. -----	2.90	15 oz. Tin, 2 for -----	.27
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